

## CITY NEWS

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Hear Madame Cecil Watts at Ward Chapel Friday night.

Mrs. Susie Bates of Oklahoma is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Rena Jones, 1216 Woodland avenue.

Mrs. John M. Dugan of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. O. Fisher of Rosedale, Kansas.

Mr. W. G. Banks of San Antonio, Tex., is in the city in the interest of American Woodmen.

Attorney T. W. Bell of Leavenworth, Kan., was in the city last week on business.

Every honest subscriber who feels the necessity of a race paper should pay their subscription if due and help us carry on the work.

Miss Ethel J. Crawford of 2106 Woodland avenue, is visiting Mrs. Rosa C. Gipson at Pleasant Hill, Mo., this week.

Mrs. Wm. Jefferson entertained a few friends Thursday afternoon, July 5, complimentary to Mrs. Minnie DeHaven of St. Louis, Mo.

Miss Christina Smith entertained about 30 friends June 27th at a birthday party. Everyone had a delightful time.

WANTED—An experienced lady in hair work and all kinds of beauty culture. Willing to leave the city when necessary. Call Bell Phone, East 2453.

If you miss hearing Madame Cecil Watts at Ward Chapel Friday night, July 20, you will miss hearing one of the greatest events of the season.

Mrs. Claudia Jenkins Wiseman of Oklahoma City, Okla., is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. E. Jenkins, 1324 Vine street, and will return home next week.

Word has just been received that Miss Josephine V. Pinyon, Summer High School teacher, lost her mother Sunday morning, July 1, at their home in Washington, D. C.

FOR RENT—One furnished front room and one room for light house-keeping. Strictly modern. Bell phone Grand 1856. Mrs. A. Nelson, 1514 Lydia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith, 2414 Woodland avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter, Cora, to Mr. Fred Harris of Kansas City, Kans., June 28, 1917.

Enest Thyous, leader of Thyous Orchestra, and Johnny Collins were painfully injured in an auto accident Monday at 15th and Paseo, when a motorcycle they were riding was struck by a Woolf Bros. laundry truck.

Mr. Ralph Timmons of Carthage, Mo., en route to Chicago in his beautiful touring car, stopped over for three days' visit with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tibbs.

Mrs. Lydia E. Thomas of this city, who was taken seriously ill recently with appendicitis, as soon as able left for Clarinda, Ia., to be with her sister, Mrs. Jas. Pemberton, and at present is improving nicely.

## ROOMS WANTED.

The Sun has many inquiries each week for rooms, furnished and unfurnished, and persons having rooms for rent would do well to advertise them in this paper if you want quick returns.

Mr. T. A. Ross resigned in June from the American Woodmen as an Organizer. His resignation has been accepted and he no longer represents us.

C. M. WHITE, Supreme Commander.

Miss Minnie DeHaven of St. Louis, Mo., was dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Horatic Warrick, 1708 East Twenty-eighth street, Sunday, July 8. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson, Mrs. Mamie Anderson. A delightful evening was spent by all present.

The Civic League, composed of representative colored men, held an executive session at the "Y" Wednesday night. It was decided that an immediate social survey of the Kansas City Negro and his environment should be made and a number of important civic matters touching the Negro were discussed. Next week we shall publish the list of committees and their chairmen.

## NOTICE.

All persons expecting to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge August 6 to 10, at Jefferson City, Mo., will please notify the Rev. John Goins, chairman of the local committee, 505 Monroe street, Jefferson City, Mo.

An old-fashioned picnic will be given at the Helms' Park, East Bottoms, Wednesday, August 1, by the Sons and Daughters of Jerusalem. Plenty to eat. Amusements of all kinds. Come and have a good time. Admission 10 cents.

Harry R. Graham, S. G. K. T. B. J. Robinson, S. G. S.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved wife, mother and sister, Mrs. Mary Harris, also for the beautiful floral offerings.

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## WROTE TO WHITE GIRL.

Negro, Arrested by U. S. Authorities, Admits Sending Letter.

R. B. Sales, a Negro, 46 years old, married, and living with his family at 2304 Woodland avenue, was arrested yesterday by J. M. Donaldson, post-office inspector, on authority of Francis M. Wilson, United States district attorney. Sales was charged with

## SUNDAY SCHOOL CONTEST, JULY 27.

At Allen Chapel.

Admission 10 cents.

The following Sunday Schools are contestants: Second Baptist Church, Rev. S. W. Bacote, pastor; Ebenezer A. M. E. Church, Rev. W. C. Williams, pastor; Allen Chapel, Rev. Wm. H. Thomas, pastor; St. Stephen's Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Hulse, pastor; Pleasant Green Baptist Church, Rev. J. M. Booker, pastor; Second Christian Church, Rev. Wm. Alphin, pastor; Antioch Baptist Church, Rev. Jenkins, pastor; Bethel A. M. E. Church, Rev. F. D. Wells, pastor; and First A. M. E. Church, Kansas City, Kan., Rev. Dr. Griffin, pastor.

The Douglass Hospital Club will give a first prize of \$5.00 and a second prize of \$2.50 to the Sunday School whose pupil under 16 years writes the best essay on "Home." Other Sunday Schools wishing to contest or for further information, call

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P. G. Lowery with Carl Hagenback Shows paid a pleasant visit to The Sun office in company with Shad Sprangles, Guy Williams, Eugene Rector and Frank Beatty. Mr. Lowery is looking exceedingly well and is the same finished musician as of yore. He is interested in oil with prospects of a big hit in sight.

## MUSICAL TREAT.

Madame Cecil Watts the famous soprano and Gospel singer will give her wonderful musical dramatic rendition of "The Transgressor" at Ward Chapel, Twelfth and Woodland, Friday evening, July 20, for the benefit of the Building fund. Admission 15 cents. All invited.

RECITAL by pupils of Allen Chapel Summer Music School, R. G. Jackson, director, Friday, July 20, 8:15 p. m. at Allen Chapel. Playing by advanced pupils, intermediate pupils, by baby pupils, good singing. The recital is promoted by Allen Chapel Choir for the benefit of the choir fund. Admission 10 cents.

Our Evangelist, Rev. F. F. Moten, who has stirred the hearts of thousands of people in Missouri, Kansas, and Colorado this year, will preach at both services Sunday, the 15th, at Allen Chapel. Dr. Wm. H. Thomas, pastor. The Evangelist brings a burning message which will penetrate the hearts of his hearers. Many will remember his sermons last winter during the first Quarterly meeting of this Conference year. The splendid choir of Allen will render some special music for the occasion and the Evangelist will sing some of his Old Camp Meeting melodies. A shouting time is expected Sunday morning and evening in old Historic Allen.

The Annual Excursion to Leavenworth, Kan., under the auspices of St. Elmo Drill Team of the Order of Ancient Sons and Daughters of Jerusalem will be given Sunday, July 22, 65 cents round trip. Tickets on sale at Montgomery Hall, 1150 Independence Ave., or from any member of team. Cars leave 4th and Minnesota Avenue, Kansas City, Kan., at 9:15 a. m. and leave Leavenworth at 9:30 p. m.

T. B. J. Robinson, Instructor. Frederick A. Turner, Mgr.

## KANSAS CITY, KAS.

By Mrs. Zenobia Nelson.

Mrs. J. D. Munroe, 917 Freeman avenue, is ill with tonsillitis.

Mr. Cornelius Crump returned from a trip to Little Rock, Ark.

Mrs. Minnie Johnson of Atchison, Kan., is visiting her niece, Mrs. Effie Porter, 1036 Grandview boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins of 1415 North 10th street have as guest this week Mrs. Pulley of Larned, Kan.

Miss M. Steward and Miss O. Scott made a good report from the S. S. Convention as delegate.

Captain Love of the Goodwill Club will give a reception on the members Thursday night at 728 Walker avenue. They reported \$201.23.

The Eighth Street Baptist Church was nicely attended Sunday and Rev. Dotson preached a powerful sermon Sunday night.

Mrs. D. H. Jones and Mrs. G. F. Clinton of Crockett, Tex., are visiting their sister and cousin, Mrs. S. T. Thomas, at 1319 N. 8th street.

Mrs. A. B. Stevens, 1016 Barnett avenue, was called to Independence, Mo., last Sunday on account of the death of her brother, John D. Horney, who was ill for a long time.

Mrs. E. M. J. Simms and Miss Elsie Simms of Spokane, Wash., are the guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Boone, 1023 Freeman.

Mr. J. W. Washington, Lieutenant of No. 3 Hose Co., at Topeka, Kansas, is visiting the members of No. 11 Hose Co. this week. Checker players wanted.

Rev. D. B. Bowren, Rev. Geo. McNeal, Rev. D. A. Holmes and Mrs. F. B. Watson, Superintendent of the First Baptist Sunday School, left Monday for Des Moines, Ia., to attend the Western Baptist Convention.

Attorney E. A. Shackelford returned from Tipton, Mo., where he visited his mother. While there he was entertained with a fishing party and reports a glorious time spent.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Thurston, of Tulsa, Okla., teachers of the city schools of Tulsa are visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. White.

Kansas City was shocked to hear of the death of Wm. Bolden Townsend, the well known attorney of Denver, Colo., formerly of Leavenworth, Kan. He was sick only a few days. His funeral was held last Sunday at Shorter Chapel, Denver, Colo., under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias of which he was a grand officer. He leaves a wife and two sisters and a host of friends throughout the West. His last professional act was to secure a divorce for Dr. J. H. B. Westbrook, formerly Grand Chancellor of Colorado.

## NEGRO BUSINESS.

The "Kansas City Spirit" undoubtedly has taken possession of our people since Eighteenth street has been improved. The outlook to me is very encouraging indeed as my business has increased most wonderfully, therefore with the assurance of a generous patronage from a public which has proven its loyalty I have without fear of loss increased my stock of millinery to meet the demand.

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The reason we have so few millionaires is that we have so few men and women who have the courage to back their judgment with their money. The opportunity to make your money work for you is being offered you by the Birth of a Race Photoplay Corporation. Organized for the production of a million-dollar picture to be produced in association with the Selig Polyscope Co. The Selig Polyscope Co., as you know, is one of the oldest and largest film corporations in the world. The "Million-Dollar Mystery," "The Crisis," "The Spoilers," "The Garden of Allah," all speak for the Selig Polyscope Co. This great twelve-reel photoplay, a whole evening's entertainment, is being produced in the spirit of facts, not fiction, sweetness not bitterness. It will portray the days that were, the days that are, and the days that are yet to be.

"The Birth of a Race" has for its theme race prejudice. The curse of civilization—the thing which saps energy, weakens efficiency and blocks the way of progress—is fostered prejudice, often blind and without reason which frequently grows into hate—aye, even into war and death—between races and nationalities. The United States is a melting pot; into it are poured all races. Out of it is born a new race—the American—a race which is to make the nation strong or weak. All races that have helped to make America what she is, have suffered and prospered with the other races. No single race has suffered or prospered alone. "The Birth of a Race" will picture all this and more. In prophetic vision it will bring close the future in which the races—all races—will see each other as they are. It is well known fact, and one which the reader will readily recognize that the motion picture industry has earned more money in the same length of time than any other industry in the world. Today it stands fifth as compared with all other industries in the United States. The following returns will give you an idea as to the importance of the motion picture industry. These reports and earnings are taken from what we believe to be a thoroughly reliable source.

"The Million Dollar Mystery" earned over 700 per cent.

"Traffic in Souls" paid the producer over 3,000 per cent.

"Neptune's Daughter" has paid 1,200 per cent.

"Civilization" has already paid 400 per cent.

"The Spoilers," a Selig production, is reported to have paid 700 per cent, and is still paying.

"The Crisis," a new Selig production, has already paid more than the cost of production.

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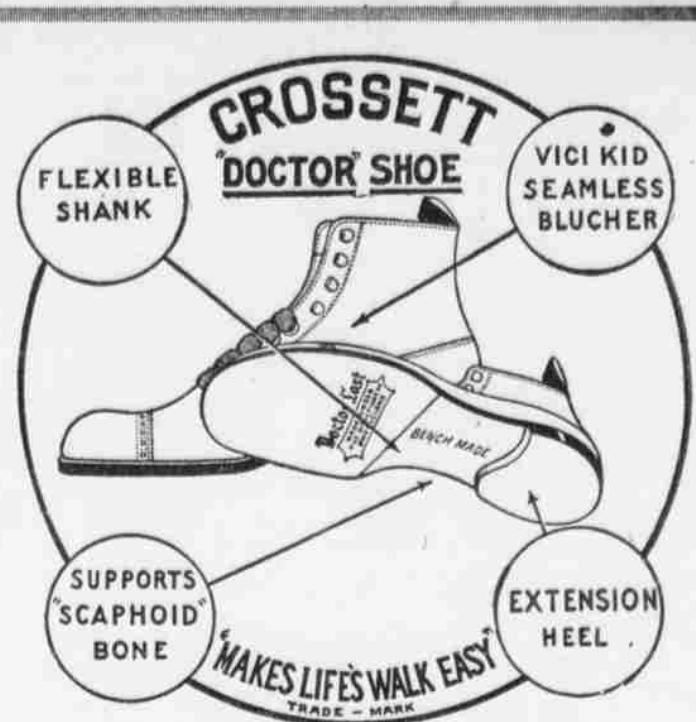
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Rev. L. K. Williams delivered an excellent sermon at the Metropolitan Church Sunday morning, taking as his text, "I saw the Lord sitting upon his throne high and lifted up." It seemed to reach the needs of all present. Rev. D. A. Holmes preached at the evening service in his usual spiritual way. A large crowd was present throughout the day.

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